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LOCAL MATTERS.

Dissolution.

The firm of Dimock & Hayner is this day dissolved. Mr. E. L. Dimock returning from the firm. The undersigned will continue the business at the old stand, next door east of the Rock County National Bank.

STILES HAYNER.

Now that the holidays are over, Archie Reid will give greater value than ever on cloaks.

Risks, buns, bread, cake, and pies, fresh every morning at Denniston's.

Samples in hosiery, samples in underwear, samples in silk and linen handkerchiefs, samples in towels and stamped linen goods, samples of all kinds of notions, at less than wholesale value, at Archie Reid's.

Seize your dollars early at Sutherland's.

The finest line of plush cloaks in the city, at prices which defy competition, at Archie Reid's.

Lost—On Friday, Jan. 1st, between the Grand hotel and C. B. Courand's residence, South Main street, a gold bracelet. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office.

A full and complete line of all styles and sizes of sample corsets at regular wholesale prices at Archie Reid's.

Vincennes and Peoria's notes on International Sunday School lessons for the year 1888, at Sutherland's book store.

500 cloaks at half-price, at Archie Reid's. Greater inducements than ever to buy your cloaks from Archie Reid.

To Rent.

Tobacco warehouse at Oregon and one at Mount Horeb and flour and feed mill at Janesville.

For fine frames call at Sutherland's book store.

Go to Sutherland's for splendid gold pens.

Try "Cream" flour.

VANKIRK BROS.

No store in town has a finer stock of tea and coffee than Denniston.

The most complete assortment of cloaks and wraps can be found at the popular store of Archie Reid.

Mr. Geo. B. Gookins, of Rockford, will be in the city January 15, and will take orders for piano tuning. All orders by mail, or left with C. E. Moseley, or Mrs. Lizzie Smith will receive prompt attention.

Fresh and dried fruit at Denniston's.

Sample cloaks at one-half their value at Archie Reid's.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A Portland cutter, inquire of E. Tracy Brown, 48 South Main street.

Try "Cream" flour.

VANKIRK BROS.

Elegant toilet sets at Eldredge's.

Look at This.

For sale or exchange, about 50 acres of well improved tobacco land within one mile of city limits.

H. H. BEAUMONT.

20 dollars buys a fine tailor made fur beaver over coat, satin sleeve lined, cord edge, a gentleman's coat in every way. Would cost \$35 to \$40 dollars made to order. Come in and see them. If you don't need one you might have a friend wanting one.

FITCHER & ZEIGLER.

For silk umbrellas, fine neckwear and seal caps call at Holmes & Son, hatters and fur furnishers.

WANTED—By a reliable young man attending school—a place to work out of school hours and Saturdays, for his board. Address P. O. Box 635.

Call and see the new line of overcoats at Holmes & Son's.

O. F. Bowles has money to loan. Money in want of water can be supplied by leaving orders at the Gazette office, or No. 2 engine house, by telephone or otherwise.

Holiday goods and playing cards at Eldredge's.

For a fine selection of pantaloons good at prices that defy competition, go to W. O. Holmes & Son.

New folding work tables, hard wood \$1.00 up; new work baskets, at Wheeler's.

Do you know that Holmes & Son will sell you any suit in the store for \$2.00. Examine their stock. It will pay you.

New neckwear at Holmes & Son's.

Cuff buttons and scarf pins at Holmes & Son's.

Toy sewing machines make a useful present for a little girl cheap, at Wheeler's.

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Fur gloves at Holmes & Son's.

Parties wanting buckskin, or, as they are sometimes called, blamons skin, underwear, will find a full stock at ladies and gentlemen, at Fitcher & Zeigler's.

Buy your presents for the men and boys of Holmes & Son.

Call at Sanborn & Cannell's and see the bargains they are offering in double blankets. They also have a few good coat covers left, which they would like to exchange for cash.

Wolf, buffalo and goat robes, at James A. Fether's, corner Court and Main streets.

I will sell 9 1/2 acres of choice land with a small house and a four-acre tobacco shed, both built this year, all for \$1,500. Situated near Blind Institute, in the city, and a very desirable property in the price. This bargain cannot be duplicated.

FREE TRIAL.

Thousands of cases of Nervous Debility, mental and physical weakness, loss of memory, nervous prostration, results of indigestion, or of any cause, cured by Dr. J. C. Smith. Strong faith that it will cure every case. Send for circular and receive 10 cents for postage. Dr. J. C. Smith, 130 E. Washington St., Box 22, Chicago, Illinois.

Briders.

—Polo Tuesday evening, 115 cents.

—Adjourned meeting of the Janesville anti horse thief society at municipal court rooms this evening at 7:30.

—Crystal Temple of Honor No. 32 meet in regular weekly session this evening at their hall in the Judd block, North Main street.

—Ex-Chief Engineer Wm. J. Cunningham is dangerously ill with inflammation of the lungs, at his home on West Milwaukee street.

—On our second page to-day will be found a striking and instructive illustration of the comparative worth of the various kinds of baking powders now in the market.

—The Janesville polo team will go to Oshkosh on Thursday next and play a league game that evening with the Oak leaf team. A number of our citizens will accompany the team.

—The case of Wyman against Sperbeck is now before the circuit court. Both parties are from Clinton and the action is to recover rent on the hotel leased by Sperbeck of Wyman but never occupied by him.

—Constable John Ryan goes around the streets to-day with a face more smiling than ever. His friends say that it is caused by a young lady who has come to make his home an extended visit, and whose first name is Lady Evangeline.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Janesville Business Men's Association will be held this evening. A full attendance of members is requested. The annual meeting and election of officers will be held next Monday evening.

—This morning Andrew Orr, George Treuwith, and John O'Neil the three boys arrested for burglarizing Bartley Malone's saloon on Main street, were taken before Judge Patton. They waived examination and will be brought up for trial next Monday.

—Another large audience greeted the Elliott family at the rink on Saturday evening. The Elliotts do some wonderful feats on their bicycles and unicycles and please the people wherever they appear. They have proved a good drawing card for the rink management here.

—Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brooks, living near the Catholic cemetery, were made to mourn by the death of their seven weeks' old child. The little one died very suddenly, the disease being croup, and the stricken parents will receive much sympathy.

—On to-morrow, (Tuesday) evening the officers of Western Star Lodge No. 14, A. F. and M. W. will be installed, at the conclusion of which the officers of Janesville Commandery No. 2, Knights Templar, will be installed. A full attendance of members is requested.

—Dr. D. Robinson, who is now treating the case of scarlet fever in the family of Patrick Ford, near Atton, reports the five children now sick to be improving. It is thought they will all recover. The doctor also says that the fever has appeared in the village itself, two children being very sick with it.

—The Evansville polo team having beaten Broadhead three games out of four by a score of 3 to 0 are now anxious to cross sticks with Janesville and will be given an opportunity to-morrow, Tuesday evening. The game will continue 30 minutes actual play, no matter how many goals are made.

—The music committee of the Baptist church here engaged the same choir for the ensuing year that has sung in that church during the latter part of 1888. The members are Mr. J. W. St. John, Mrs. C. B. Conrad, Mr. Frank L. Hayden and Mr. Clarence L. Clark. No organist has yet been decided on, but this matter will also be settled before next Sunday.

—The funeral of Mrs. John Burns, of Rock, was held at St. Patrick's church, to-day at noon. The services were very impressive and a large number of friends and relatives were present. The pall bearers were Andrew Ellison, Michael Finley, Wm. Lewis, Michael Matthias and John Lerry. Mrs. Burns was a woman of many good qualities, and her death has occasioned deep regret among all who knew her. Though her body is returned to dust, her memory will endure for years to come.

—Yesterday was a most disagreeable day to be out. A cloudy sky with occasional rain and a north and northeast wind prevailed during the day. In the early evening a regular cold mid-winter rain storm set in, and rain continued to fall until near mid-night, when the wind changed to the south, the temperature falling some two degrees and the rain ceased, leaving the earth covered with ice. At seven o'clock this morning the temperature was 31 degrees above zero, and the same at one o'clock this afternoon, a light south wind prevailing.

—On Saturday evening news was received in this city that Mr. Albert Snow, formerly in the employ of the Western Union Telegraph Company in this city, died at his home in Bloomington, Illinois, on December 19th, and was buried at South Bend, Indiana. The deceased removed from this city to Bloomington with his parents some two years ago, and for a year previous to his death was confined to his home with consumption. Mr. Snow was a young man of many excellent qualities, and had many personal friends in Janesville who will be saddened at the news of his early death.

—Mr. Thomas J. Gallagher, who has been in the telephone service for the past eight years, and who has for some time past been located in the south as superintendent of construction, has been assigned the duty as manager of the Janesville exchange. For the past two or three years his work has been entirely south of the Ohio river. He has built or rebuilt every exchange from Evansville, Ind., to New Orleans, and comes to his new post of duty with the highest of recommendations as a telephone man, an electrician and also as a gentleman. Mr. Gallagher expects to make his home at Janesville as he has relatives living in the southern part of the state.

—The salvation army workers in this city have been reinforced by a drum corps, and now these enthusiastic religious workers parade the street with the drums previous to the holding of their meetings. Last evening they paraded East and West Milwaukee streets during

the rain storm, and gathered a large number of people to these streets, most of whom returned to shelter as soon as they ascertained the cause of so much drum music on Sunday evening. A large crowd of boys followed in the wake of the drummers, some of whom were bent on doing mischief, but the presence of the marshal prevented any disturbance. The Salvation army marched into their hall where the usual services were held.

Death of Maggie Fitzgerald.

Death's summons came to Miss Maggie Fitzgerald who had been suffering from an attack of bilious fever. The sickness was a very short one, and her relatives had hardly received notice of her sickness before the message came announcing her death, a death doubly and because of her being away from parents and home. Her only relative in this city is a sister, Mrs. William O'Hara. Her brother, Mr. Charles E. Fitzgerald, of Minneapolis, responded quickly to the call for his presence at her bedside, and reached the city on Saturday; and it was so decreed that a few hours were spared her to welcome the new comer, though to part so soon. Miss Fitzgerald was in her twentieth year, and had resided in Janesville about five years; was of a cheerful disposition, and made many friends. During her sickness she was well cared for, her sister ministering to her wants; and to the family of Mr. James McQue, of the fifth ward, is due much credit for their kindness to the sufferer. We extend our sympathies to the relatives of the deceased in their sad affliction.

Arrangements for the funeral will not be made until the arrival of the parents of the deceased, from Iowa.

Funeral.

—Fred. B. Smith, of Delavan, left Sunday among Janesville friends.

—Dr. Charles L. Sutherland of Rockton, spent Sunday in the city visiting relatives and friends, returning this morning to his Rockton office.

—Baker Woodruff, who spent the holidays in this city, returned yesterday morning to Chicago, where he is a student in the Chicago Medical College.

—W. J. Wright an old Janesville boy, who now discharges on low priced groceries in behalf of J. A. Tolman Co., is smiling on Janesville friends for a few days.

—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lawrence in the first ward is now gladdened by the presence of a bright-eyed boy whose birthday will be celebrated on the third day of each coming new year.

—Miss Mary Stewart, who has been spending the holidays in this city, visiting her sister, Mrs. W. E. Bonesteel, and other relatives and friends, will return to her home in Chicago to-morrow. Miss Stewart was formerly a compositor in the Gazette office, and now has a lucrative position in the map department of the publishing house of Rand, McNally & Co., of Chicago.

—Miss Fannie Sheldon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sheldon; Miss Mary Kinney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kinney; and Miss Clara Little, daughter of Mrs. S. O. Little, left at noon today for Oberlin, Ohio, for the purpose of resuming their studies at Oberlin college, Miss Sheldon commencing her studies in the junior class at that institution.

Tobacco Sales.

Sales of seed leaf tobacco reported by J. S. Gans' Son & Co., tobacco brokers, No. 131 Water street, New York, for the week ending January 4th, 1888:

150 cases, crop of 1881, Pennsylvania, Havana, at 9 to 12 1/2 cents.

150 cases, crop of 1881, Pennsylvania seed, at 10 to 11 cents.

150 cases, crop of 1881, Pennsylvania, at 7 to 10 1/2 cents.

100 cases, crop of 1881, Pennsylvania, at 7 to 11 cents.

117 cases, crop of 1881, State Havana, at 10 cents.

100 cases, crop of 1881, State Havana, at 9 1/2 to 10 cents.

100 cases, crop of 1881, New England Havana, at 10 to 12 cents.

Total sales, \$17.

THE HOUSES WE LIVE IN. (In other words, our bodies) are held on repairing levers. We must strengthen and renew them when they exhibit signs of weakness and decay. Dr. J. C. Smith's Sanative Nervine, the debilitated, the nervous, the feeble, the dyspeptic, will find the most genuine tonic and restorative ever offered to the suffering invalid. \$1.00. Prentice & Evenson, opposite Postoffice.

The Weather.

At seven o'clock yesterday morning the thermometer indicated 41 degrees above zero. Cloudy with northeast wind. At one o'clock p. m. the register was 42 degrees above zero. Cloudy with north wind. For the corresponding hours last year the register was 10 and 33 degrees above zero. At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer indicated 31 degrees above zero. Cloudy with south wind. At one o'clock p. m. the register was 31 degrees above zero. Cloudy with south wind. For the corresponding hours one year ago the register was 15 and 32 degrees above zero.

Young and middle aged men, suffering from nervous debility and kindred affections, as loss of memory and by prostration, should employ 10 cents stamps for large illustrated pamphlet suggesting cure. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

Look Here.

I have for sale a hotel range and refrigerator, which I offer at a great bargain; must be sold immediately. Call at Metcalf & Gowley's store.

ABOUT WATER WORKS.

The Stand Pipe—Its Use in Connection with Water Works.

Points of Great Interest to Our People at this Time.

We find the following carefully prepared article on the "Use of the Stand Pipe" in a Racine paper, which will be found of value to our readers at this time. While it is proper that the people should be thoroughly posted as to the merits of the different systems of water works, we are perfectly willing that all such questions should be referred to the fire commissioners to be elected. This article on the "Stand Pipe" is evidently the work of some engineer directly interested in its construction, and should therefore be read with such understanding. In cities the size of Janesville or Racine, where a system of water works is being constructed especially for fire protection, that system must be one that will furnish the required pressure at a moments notice. A system that requires 20 or 30 minutes to be put in working order appears to us as unworthy of consideration when such a large sum of money is to be invested. Then a combination of two or more systems necessitates a complication of machinery, which often causes many vexatious delays and other troubles. It seems a proper thing to adopt a complete single system—either the "reservoir" or the "direct pressure" system—with no complicated combinations. Either of these systems are reliable and always ready for instant use, and each have ardent supporters among the people of this city, who are interested in the construction of the plant.

There seems to be a mistaken idea with many regarding the utility of a standpipe as used in connection with a system of water supply for cities. In the first place the water does not enter the standpipe from the top and then fill the pipe full from such an elevation as some have supposed. On the contrary, the water enters the pipe from the bottom and receives only the excess of water pumped into the entire pipe system of the city above the daily quantity used. In fact, the water in the standpipe always represents the difference between the quantity of water pumped and the daily consumption.

Most any steam pump, the Danco, Worthington or Holly has a miniature standpipe on them. It is a pear shaped copper dome, generally highly burnished, and it can be seen in several manufactories in Racine. The theory of their usefulness is that water is a solid, and like all solids generates power only when falling. Steam is expansive and can move solids in a reasonable degree; consequently the expansive power of steam moves the plunger of the pump and by so doing lifts the water and momentarily compresses. The water so lifted and confined in a chamber or pipe reacts against the force of the steam, and the air taken in with the water is a powerful auxiliary force acting in conjunction with the water, against the expansive power of the steam. It means were not provided to release the air from its compressed condition when taken in with the water, the reaction against the stroke of the pump would be much more severe; therefore the pear shaped copper dome is provided into which the air escapes, otherwise the pumps work hard, make a pounding noise and very soon break down. The copper dome thus affords a release for the air and also acts as an air cushion, relieving the pump from the pressure created by the constant compressing power of the plunger, consequently the movement of the pump is quiet and steady.

The same destructive tendency from air is found in water mains and pipes remote from the pumping engines. Suppose a pipe is laid from a main on Sixth street, which is quite high ground, to the end of a street abutting the river on much lower ground, making of this pipe what is called a "dead end." Now this "dead end" would have to be necessarily provided with a blow-off valve, otherwise an irregular flow of water from the pumps would cause the end of this pipe at the river bank to be blown to pieces.

A stand pipe can be located at the pumping works or remotely from them, but always upon the highest ground. If the pumping works for Racine should be located in the southeast quarter of the city, it would be very desirable and indeed quite necessary that the stand pipe should be located in the south part of the city, because a stand pipe is also a reservoir and naturally exerts an equitable distribution of water in that part of the city in which it is located, creating what is called a static pressure or head, according to the height of the water in the pipe; besides, if there should be a break in the mains at the river, a breakdown or disarrangement of the pumps, there would remain in the standpipe a supply of water sufficient for all ordinary uses until such repairs are completed.

From the foregoing description we can readily see that the standpipe is not only a relief from pressure against the pumps, but is also a reservoir, and if built of ordinary size will contain a supply of water sufficient for domestic and manufacturing purposes for twenty four hours, and with sufficient head to supply direct from the faucets. The engineer operating the pumps at the works runs them steadily, each day maintaining a constant supply for the public and a full standpipe. The draught upon the mains is constant by the uses in the city, but he takes no note of that he continues to operate the pumps until an electric bell warns him that the stand pipe is full; then he stops the pumps and banks the fires under the boilers. In all well regulated works this pressure or "fullness" of water must occur at six o'clock p. m., as well as at other times during the day; the engineer then prepares his fires for the night, his day's work is done and he goes home. Should a fire occur during the night the engineer is then aroused by the same means that we call out the firemen with their engines, and he is promptly at his post, the fires under the boilers are opened, fresh fuel is thrown on and in 30 or 40 minutes the pumps are at work. In the meantime the fire department are using the water from the standpipe for the reduction of the fire and with a standpipe of ordinary size

there will be available 135,000 gallons of water above an elevation of 75 feet, sufficient for an ordinary fire in any part of the city, a sufficient quantity of water for two of our largest steam fire engines for one hour's work. Should the fire prove more serious, the value at the standpipe is closed and it is thus cut out from the pipe system. The pressure now given is direct from the pumps, and is the same which is called "direct pressure," and is supposed by many to be a special feature of the Holly system. By this means a pressure can be maintained at the hydrants sufficient to throw water to any height required—a pressure sufficient to burst any hose unless carefully regulated.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

More Than Usual Interest Apparent. The first Sabbath of the new year was anything but favorable for church goers and yet the various houses of worship were well attended. At the

FIRST M. E. CHURCH. In the morning the first quarterly meeting was observed and the pastor delivered a very excellent sermon. Seventeen were added to the church at the close of the service. In the evening the church was closed, to permit the audience to attend the revival service at

COURT STREET CHURCH. This church was again crowded in the evening, and Mr. Harrison delivered a very impressive sermon from the text, "What shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul?" The audience were very attentive, and more than usual interest was manifested. Mr. Harrison will remain until the 11th inst., and meetings will be continued at this church every afternoon and evening this week. The week of prayer will be generally observed in the city.

ANT. SCHUBERT.

Yesterday morning this church was well filled, and those who went were well repaid for their trip through the mud. The pastor, Rev. Joseph Waits, preached a very eloquent New Year's sermon entitled "The Wheel of Time," and treating of time's flight. He spoke of Father Time as an old man who went so swift that we must meet him or lose all of our opportunities, so there was no possibility of catching up with him. The speaker thought that it was more appropriate to liken time to a wheel than to an old reaper, for in the former there was nothing ghastly or disagreeable, and the flight of years was really more like the steady revolution of a wheel than like anything else to be conceived of. The sermon was full of sound arguments, and received much praise from the hearers.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Last evening the pastor, Rev. M. G. Hodge, D. D., preached from the text, "And he commanded them to be baptized in the name of the Lord." The discussion treated of the advisability of baptism and stated that while the ordinance was not necessary to a person who wished to be a Christian, still one could live nearer to the ideal by conforming to all the requirements of the church than by conforming to a part of them. On the method of baptism the church is very liberal. While immersion is preferred because of its being the form used in Christ's time, still sprinkling is allowed, persons being permitted to choose whichever form they preferred. At the close of the sermon the ordinance of baptism was administered to four persons by the pastor. The choir had arranged an unusually fine program for the evening service, and their anthems were very effective when sung to the accompaniment of the new organ at which Mrs. Lizzie Smith presided!

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Renovation of the Latta Family.

We had the following interesting account of a family reunion in the Clinton Herald, December 30th: "Probably the pleasantest gathering which this place has witnessed in many a day was the one at our esteemed citizen, Mr. Doug. Latta's on Friday last, at which time their ten children, for the first time in fifteen years or more, were all at home. When it is considered how they are scattered and tied down by business it is no small undertaking to get so large a family together, but what is still more wonderful is the fact that although Mr. and Mrs. Latta are now nearly seventy years old and have been blessed with ten children, no death has occurred in the family, and each of them are now enjoying the best of health and are all being well prospered. Of this number the oldest is Susan (Mrs. Wm. Stewart) who resides here; Wm. J. is next and likewise resides in Clinton; B. Frank is number three, and is a popular lawyer located at Dodge Center, Minn. The next, Mrs. Almira Mason, is a citizen of this place; Albert is a farmer, and claims Jameson, Dakota, as his abiding place; Geo. is also a lawyer and enjoys a good practice at Antigo, in this State. D. K. is a prosperous farmer living in Bradford, Josephine is the only one living at home. Mrs. Ida Little now lives at Allen's Grove with U. G. who is the baby, but at the same time a husky lad, not far from twenty five years of age, is a Chicago physician. Had it been possible Frank's wife and daughter and George's wife and two children to have been present they could easily have numbered about fifty simply including the children and grand children. They are a family who enjoy the greatest respect of all their friends and we hope may live to spend many more like gatherings. Of the boys every other one, and in each case the eldest, is a farmer while the next follows a profession. They had two pictures taken, one of the father and boys and the other of the whole family which will be highly prized by all the relatives and friends."

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TEMPERATURE FOR DECEMBER.

The reader may, perhaps, find some comfort in reading the following table of figures giving the range of the thermometer at 7 a. m. and at 1 p. m. during the month of December:

	7 A. M.	1 P. M.
Dec. 1	34	44
" 2	34	44
" 3	34	44
" 4	34	44
" 5	34	44
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" 7	34	44
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" 26	34	44
" 27	34	44
" 28	34	44
" 29	34	44
" 30	34	44
Total	34	44

Who of us are without our troubles, be they small or large? The blessings of health are best appreciated when we are sick and in pain. A lingering cough, a severe cold or any throat or lung difficulty are very troublesome; but all these may be quickly and permanently cured by Dr. Higginson's Positive Cure. Safe and pleasant for children. Price 50 cents by all druggists.

Notice to Grocers.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of superintendents of poor, (in supervisors' room, court house) until January 12th, 1888, at 10 o'clock a. m. (subject to the approval of the board of supervisors of Rock county, Wis., at their meeting to be held January 13th, 1888) for furnishing flour, meats and groceries for the poor and means of Rock county for the ensuing year. Bidders will state price on unbroken and on broken packages of groceries. Bids to accompany bids required in the pen and sum of \$500. The right to reject any or all bids on unbroken or broken packages reserved. All bids to be based on a per cent above actual cost of same laid down in Janesville and Beloit. Parties to whom contracts are awarded for groceries must show actual bills—Address bids to S. B. Kenyon.

S. H. ALLEN,
S. B. KENYON,
C. F. NORTON,
Superintendents of Poor.

Dated Jan. 4th, 1888.

Notice.

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No Glanders.

To the Editor. There has been a good deal of talk about Burr Robbins having glanders among his horses. I was down at his place a week ago and Mr. Robbins invited me to examine all his stock, not that he supposed anything amiss, but that I might say to any person talking about his horses how I found them. There were a large number of horses, mules and ponies, all the lot perfectly free from any contagious disease whatever, and I do not believe that glanders has been among them this summer. I expected to be able to stop this talk quietly, but the state veterinary surgeon has this moment called to see me and said he had been sent to see three horses. Somebody is trying to do Burr Robbins an injury and it is not right and should not be suffered to go further.

C. LOTTIE MARTIN.

Janesville, Jan. 6th, 1888.

Bitter Bread.

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